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In re Application of: )  
Jean DE RIGAL et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2877  
Application No.: 10/006,890 ) Examiner: K. Geisel  
Filed: December 10, 2001 )  
For: COMPARISON SAMPLE FOR )  
SIMULATING AN APPEARANCE )  
OF A KERATINOUS ELEMENT, )  
AND RELATED METHODS )

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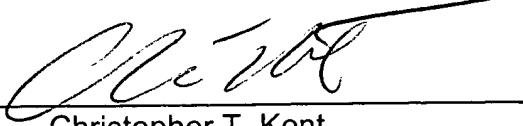
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of May 22, 2003. A fee payment of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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